

Low Christmas Prices Prevailing

Remarkable Savings on Pianos and All Musical Instruments.

But a few days more and Christmas Eve will end this extraordinary sale—will close the magnificent opportunities you now have for buying a high-grade Piano, Organ, Pianola, Pianola Piano, Victor Talking Machine, Regina Music Box or any other musical instrument that you may be ambitious to see in your home. Now or never is the time to grasp and grip the passing bargains. The past days of the sale have been a story of fast selling. Now in order to continue, new values have been added.—values that you'll hardly find again.

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\$750 Polyphone Automatic Piano, \$450

A magnificent Polyphone Automatic Piano, with orchestral attachments. Regular \$750 instrument, but little used, and now in prime condition. Nickel slot, and soon pays for itself. Our price

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FIVE REGINA MUSIC BOXES, automatic nickel and slot, will soon pay for themselves. Good condition. Regular \$400 kind. While they last, each

\$220

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A Slightly Used Chickering Piano

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\$198

Great Bargains in Pianos

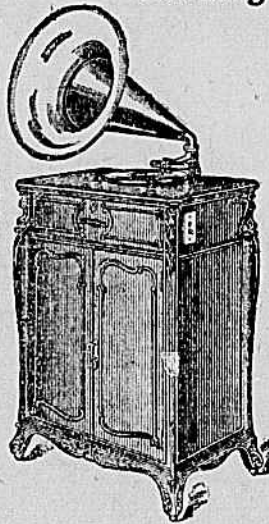
Instruments that are but little used, and have been put in tip top condition. Taken in exchange for the Pianola-Piano. Priced so low that they are going to move rapidly. Here are some of the bargains:

One \$400 Emerson Upright Piano now - \$230
One \$375 Fisher Upright Piano now - \$235
One \$325 Schaeffer Upright Piano now - \$178
One \$400 Chase Upright Piano now - \$190
One \$400 Miller Upright Piano now - \$260
One \$500 Knabe Upright Piano now - \$210

Regina Music Boxes, \$8 up

Every Regina Music Box is a satisfactory one. They make excellent Xmas gifts. If you give one, you'll find great values here. Prices from \$8 up.

Victor Auxetophones, Talking Machines and Victor Records



By the car loads! Truly the greatest and most complete showing of these matchless entertainers in the city, State or the South. There is no more acceptable gift.

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**Victor Talking Machines \$10 up
Victor Auxetophones . . \$500**

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The very handsomest designs and models in these well-known instruments. They are QUALITY Guitars, Mandolins and Banjos, too. Guaranteed to give lasting satisfaction. When you buy one of the Washburn instruments you are securing the standard stringed instruments of the world.

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We have a full stock of Artists' Strings and other supplies for all instruments.

Organs at Half Price

And often a third of original price. But slightly used: in perfect condition.

One Estey Organ to go at \$57.50
One New England Organ, nine stops and with mirror, to go at \$45.00
One Standard Organ, handsome mirror, to go at \$52.50
One Bridgeport Organ, two mirrors, eleven stops, to go in this sale at \$55.00
One Large 6-octave Organ, something out of the ordinary, to go at \$55.00

Give Her a Pianola or a Pianola Piano.

Either would be the greatest musical gift obtainable. Because then any single member of the family, from grandmother down to the little ones enthusiastically waiting for Santa Claus, could render the most difficult and sublime music as easily as the professional.

How easy to put the silent piano into service—how all-satisfying to be able to turn from one masterpiece to another, and with the assistance of this great instrument play it with ease. The Pianola and the Pianola-Piano possesses features that no other piano-player has.

Come in and let us show you—try them yourself.

**Price of Pianola - \$215 up
Price of Pianola Piano, \$550 up**



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Staunton Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

STANTON, VA., December 14.—One of the prettiest weddings ever seen in Staunton took place Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock at the Episcopal Church, when Mr. William Eskridge Gilkison and Miss Eliza, both Durwell Jones were wed. The church was beautifully decorated, the color scheme of white and green was followed out in details, and many floral centerpieces added brilliancy to the scene. At the appointed hour the vested choir marched in, singing the wedding chorus from "Lohengrin." The bride, Miss Eliza Gilkison, was escorted by Mr. William Eskridge Gilkison, brother of the groom, and Mr. George Gilkison, brother of the groom, and Mr. S. M. Gooden, of Bluefield. The maid of honor and the bridesmaids came alone, wearing green messaline and carrying maiden hair fern. The bride carried a large bouquet of white and pink roses. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William A. Bowles, who was assisted by Mr. George Gilkison. After the ceremony the bride and groom were taken to their room in the Bluefield Hotel. The reception was held at the home of Mr. William Eskridge Gilkison, where the bride and groom were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Gilkison. The reception was very successful and the bride and groom were very happy.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
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Abingdon Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ABINGDON, VA., December 14.—Mr. Hope Davidson, of Wytheville, paid a short visit this week to Mrs. T. D. Davidson. Mrs. Mary Clark, of Ponotow, Miss, after a visit of a few days to her sister, Mrs. J. C. Cummings, has returned home. Mrs. James Mican, of Bristol, was here over Sunday to see his sister, Miss Agnes Mican, of Stonewall Jackson Institute. Mrs. John Haseenger, of Kannock, was a recent guest of Mrs. W. A. Haseenger. Mr. Will Wyner, of Lynchburg, was a visitor to friends in town this week. Mrs. Florence Hammer, of Bristol, has been the guest for a few days at Stonewall Jackson Institute. Mrs. Leon Kirby and son, of Keeokee, Va., have arrived to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Kirby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Giddens. Mr. S. F. Hurt left Tuesday for a visit to his son, Mr. James Hurt, in Dallas, Tex. Mr. Hurt was accompanied by Mr. J. I. Hurt. Mrs. M. M. Fagg left Thursday for her home in Bluefield, W. Va., where she will spend the holidays. Mrs. Elsie Hannah has returned to Stonewall Jackson Institute after a visit to Miss Sue Brown at Bristol. The comic opera, "The Mikado," which was given here the third of December, will be taken to Marion on next Monday night. They will make the trip in a special car. Miss Katharine Stuart and Elizabeth Helling had a most pleasant meeting of the Tea Club this week. Besides the regular members the invited guests present were Mrs. Beverly Wynn, Mrs. Frances Lee, Mrs. W. S. Dodd, Miss Gray and Miss Helen Withers.

Buckingham Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BUCKINGHAM, VA., December 14.—Mr. J. R. Charlton has gone to Oak Hill, W. Va., to engage in the mercantile business. Mrs. J. A. Grigg and Miss Alice Spencer, of Buckingham Courthouse, visited Mrs. W. A. Moss, of Hill Top, this week. Mrs. Rose Taylor has returned to her home in Roanoke after a two weeks' visit to her sister, Mrs. A. W. Moore, of this city. Mr. Jim Haden, of Camden-on-Stukey, Va., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Haden, in visiting friends and relatives in town this week. Mrs. W. D. Haden is visiting friends and relatives in town this week. Mrs. W. D. Haden is visiting friends and relatives in town this week. Mrs. W. D. Haden is visiting friends and relatives in town this week.

Lynchburg Social News.

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LYNCHBURG, VA., December 14.—Miss Lillian, of Charlottesville, is visiting Mrs. Peyton Winfree on Tenth Street. Miss Bella Shuman arrived here Thursday from Wright's, W. Va., being called home by the death of her sister, Miss Lucy Shuman. Mrs. M. H. Dudley, who has been ill for weeks at her home, No. 700 Withers Street, is now convalescent. Miss M. W. Kiser, of Columbus, O., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Kiser, returned home Thursday. Mrs. Louise Eggleston, who has been the guest of Mrs. Lucy Radford at Forest, left Thursday afternoon for Memphis. Mrs. T. M. Watts, who has been on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Ware, returned Thursday to her home in Hillsboro, O. Rev. Dr. G. C. Kelly arrived in the city Tuesday and remained here until Friday. When he returned to Richmond with his family. Mrs. Laura Oglesby, a former student of the Woman's College, who has been visiting friends in the city, returned home to Bristol Wednesday. Mrs. Edward Crump, who has been ill for some weeks at the home and retreat, is considerably improved and has been re-moved to her home in Church Street. Miss Callie Correll, of Richmond, and Miss Anna Burton, of Charlotte, N. C., are visiting Mrs. Gliss H. Miller on Clay Street. Mr. G. N. Wilson, observer in charge of the local station of the Weather Bureau, is confined to his home on Clay Street by an attack of the grip. Mrs. F. H. Spencer, of Buckingham county, is visiting Mrs. W. W. Mosley on Clay Street. Mrs. Bessie Meade of Robertson is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. W. Fisher, at No. 105 Federal Street. Mrs. G. N. Campbell is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hancock, in Appomattox. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Agge, who have been visiting relatives in the West End, returned to their home at Buffalo Ridge Springs Wednesday. Mr. Charles H. Martin, who for many years has been division manager for the Anderson-Busch Brewing Association, is covering his connection with the association and will embark in another business. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Fugh, of Lexington, are visiting Mrs. Alice Thorne on Fillmore Street. Mr. R. A. Lacy and two sons of Bluefield, W. Va., are visiting Mr. H. Layton.

Northumberland Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NORTHUMBERLAND, VA., December 14.—Elaborate preparations are being made for a bazaar, to be held in the Town Hall shortly before Christmas, for the benefit of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. Mrs. and Miss Neale were recently pleasant visitors at the home of Mr. G. E. Eubank in Heathsville. Mr. E. Hugh Smith has returned from a flying trip to Baltimore and Frederickburg.

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der on Cabell Street.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Bell have gone on a visit to New York.

No Use to Go Inside.
The woman who had stopped until the closing gong had sounded stood at the transfer station and awaited the suburban trolley. "What," she wearily asked herself, "does it profit a woman if she goes gain the elusive bargain and loses every trace of physical freshness?" Presently the car came along. It had the usual fringe of humanity strung along the running board, and the woman resignedly prepared to stand between the seats, when a grimy youth

arose and tendered her his place. Protesting faintly, she sank into it guiltily and registered a vow never to show overtime again.

In due time several seats were vacated, and the woman looked hopefully toward her knight. "Jimmy," a friend of his was saying, "there's room inside now. Why don't you sit down?" And the last drop of discomfort was added to the woman's cup of humiliation when Jimmy responded: "Aw, what's the use? No sooner I get me legs stretched when another tired old hen will get on and I'll have to hop up!"

MY LADY'S Xmas Gifts

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We keep a stock of Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry and Silver Novelties at such wide range of prices that no matter what condition the purse, something satisfactory can be purchased. We have taken much care in selecting from the largest manufacturers in the country all the newest goods to be had in our line, and we would like to have you look them over.

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